

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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IN RE NEW YORK  
ASBESTOS LITIGATION  
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This Document Relates to:

Asbestos Litigation

Ernesto Miranda and Diana Miranda,

CV 08-5491 (SAS)

Plaintiff,

-against-

**Rule 7.1 Statement**

Abex Corporation, et al.,

Defendant.  
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PURSUANT TO RULE 7.1 OF THE LOCAL RULES OF THE U.S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK, AND TO ENABLE JUDGES AND MAGISTRATE JUDGES OF THE COURT TO EVALUATE POSSIBLE DISQUALIFICATION OR RECUSAL, THE UNDERSIGNED COUNSEL FOR 3M COMPANY f/k/a MINNESOTA MINING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY CERTIFIES THAT THE FOLLOWING ARE CORPORATE PARENTS, AFFILIATES AND/OR SUBSIDIARIES OF SAID PARTY WHICH ARE PUBLICLY HELD.

NONE

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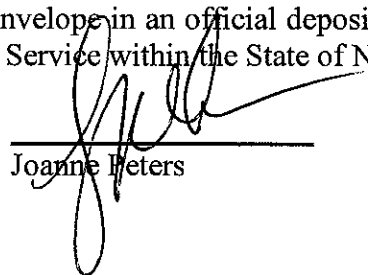
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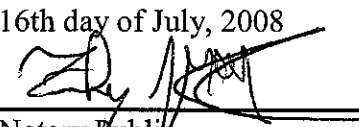
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